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FM AMEMBASSY PRETORIA

TO AMEMBASSY NAIROBI NIACT IMMEDIATE

AMCONSUL FRANKFURT NIACT IMMEDIATE

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AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI IMMEDIATE

INFO AMEMBASSY ACCRA PRIORITY

AMEMBASSY KATHMANDU PRIORITY

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NEW DELHI/KATHMANDU FOR DASC; ACCRA/NAIROBI FOR RCO; FRANKFURT
FOR FRDCO FROM A/OC-AF

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: AFOP OVIP (VANCE, CYRUS R.)

SUBJ: COMMUNICATIONS SUPPORT SALISBURY

REF: (A) KATHMANDU 1777 (NOTAL), (B) STATE 91000, (C) STATE 91001

1. FOR DASC: ASSUMING OKAY WITH YOU, I AM PROCEEDING WITH
INSTRUCTIONS PARA 5, REFTEL (B), TO COVER SALISBURY COMMO SUPPORT.
WILL BE EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY FOR A LOOK SEE OF SALISBURY,
SHOULD WE OPEN EMBASSY THERE IN FUTURE. ASSUMING YOUR APRIL 16
ARRIVAL NAIROBI STILL FIRM, I MAY NOT BE ABLE TO MEET YOU THERE
UNTIL AFTER WE PULL OUT OF SALISBURY, PROBABLY 18TH IF PRESENT
SCHEDULE HOLDS FIRM.

2. FOR OC: PROCEEDING AS REQUESTED. HAVE MADE LOW-KEY INQUIRY
AS TO AVAILABILITY TTY CIRCUITS BETWEEN SALISBURY AND PRETORIA, AND
HAVE BEEN ASSURED FDM CIRCUITS AVAILABLE, WHICH SHOULD ALLOW ON-LINE
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OPERATION. PRETORIA WILL MAKE SPACE AVAILABLE ON MUX. RECOMMEND
YOU ISSUE CIRCUIT ORDERING INSTRUCTIONS TO PRETORIA SOONEST.
ASSUME STANDARD TWO CIRCUITS WILL BE REQUIRED. PRETORIA CAN
PROVIDE ONE COMMUNICATOR. (IF YOU CONCUR, ISSUE TDY ORDERS
FOR JOSEPH YANCI.) SHOULD HAVE AT LEAST ONE MORE. IF NOT
ALREADY, INCLUDE MODEMS WITH CAN-DO FOR BOTH PRETORIA AND
SALISBURY. REGARDING SALISBURY TTS INSTALLATION, SINCE

RHODESIA EXTERNAL COMMUNICATIONS PROBABLY TIED TO SA, YOU MAY WISH TO CONSIDER LEASING DIRECT SALISBURY TO EMBASSY PRETORIA SWITCHBOARD. THIS WOULD ALLOW DIRECT PHONE LINK TO EMBASSY IF REQUIRED, AND EMBASSY OPERATORS HANDLING OF OVERSEAS CALLS WHICH SHOULD EXPEDITE THEM.

3. FOR FRDCO FRANKFURT: RE REFTEL (C). UNDERSTAND ALL FRDCO COURIERS HOLD VALID SA VISAS, IF THIS NOT THE CASE PROVIDE VISA INFORMATION SOONEST SO THAT AIRPORT VISA CAN BE ARRANGED.

4. FOR RCO/NAIROBI: FROM TRAVEL STANDPOINT TOO BAD CEO-T BRENDGARD NOT STILL HERE TO SUPPORT SALISBURY. ADVISE CEO TEAM SELECTION FOR SALISBURY. RECOMMEND LEAVING DOWNES IN PRETORIA TO PROVIDE MUX AND MODEM COVERAGE HERE. SINCE SALISBURY WILL BE WORKING THROUGH PRETORIA MUX.
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